

**LODI CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CARNEGIE FORUM, 305 WEST PINE STREET
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1997
7:00 P.M.**

1. ROLL CALL

Present: Council Members - Land, Mann, Sieglock, Warner and Pennino (Mayor)

Absent: Council Members - None

Also Present: City Manager Flynn, Deputy City Manager Keeter, Public Works Director Ronsko, City Engineer Prima, Community Development Director Bartlam, City Attorney Hays and City Clerk Reimche

2. INVOCATION

The invocation was given by Dr. Diana Garga, Member of the BAHA'I of Lodi.


3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Pennino.

4. AWARDS / PROCLAMATIONS / PRESENTATIONS

- a) Mayor Pennino presented a proclamation to David Marshall, Public Issues Chair of the Board of Directors for the Cancer Society, Lodi Unit, proclaiming Thursday, November 20, 1997 as "American Cancer Society's Great American Smokeout Day" in the City of Lodi.
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- b) Mayor Pennino presented a proclamation to Paula Soto with the Lodi Community Service Center celebrating the "Mayor's Annual Holiday Child Share Program".
FILE NO. CC-37
- c) Mayor Pennino presented a proclamation to Kevin Stephens proclaiming November 23 - 29, 1997 as "American Christian Heritage Week" in the City of Lodi".
FILE NO. CC-37
- d) Barbara Button and Terri Whitmire with the Lodi Memorial Hospital Adult Day Care Center made a presentation to the City Council. They passed out the pumpkins that had been painted by the City Council Members and City staff members who had recently attended a joint meeting with the Lodi Memorial Hospital Adult Day Care Advisory Board and participated in roll playing as patients and care givers.
FILE NO. CC-6
- e) Aaron Lange with the Greater Lodi Area Youth Commission introduced the Teen of the Month, Jennifer Garcia from Lodi High School. Ms. Garcia was not able to attend the meeting to receive the presentation.
FILE NO. CC-2(t)
- f) Mayor Pennino presented a Certificate of Recognition to the Lodi and Woodbridge firefighters for its World Firefighter Combat Challenge achievement. Fire Chief Kenley showed a VCR tape of the team in action. Team members thanked those businesses and individuals who helped sponsor their efforts.
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- g) A number of Boy Scouts from Troop 199, who are earning their Citizenship in the Community Merit Badge, were in attendance at the meeting and were introduced.

City Clerk

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REMARKS: <p>At Wed's Council meeting, I gave a rather weak answer to the question about the citizenship merit badge. Attached is the real info.</p> <p>P.S. - I'm not really a scoutmaster, just an involved parent. However, starting next month, I'll be taking over for Bob Whitmire as Explorer Post 199 Advisor.</p>			

CITIZENSHIP IN THE COMMUNITY

Requirements

1. Describe your community to your counselor giving
 - a. A short history
 - b. Cultures and ethnic groups
 - c. Major places of employmentWhat is the future of your community?
2. Mark or point out on a map of your community the following:
 - a. Chief government buildings such as your city hall, county courthouse, and public works/services facility
 - b. Fire station, police station, and hospital nearest your home
 - c. Schools, churches, and synagogues near your home
 - d. Main highways to neighboring cities and towns
 - e. Nearest railroads and bus stations and airport, if any
 - f. Chief industries or other major places of employment
 - g. Historical and other interesting points
3. Do the following:
 - a. Chart the organization of your local or state government. Show the top offices and tell which are elected or appointed.
 - b. Name the political parties in your community government and list four persons active in the politics of your community and what positions they hold.
4. Attend ONE of the following:
 - a. County or parish board meeting
 - b. City council meeting
 - c. School board meeting
 - d. Municipal, county, or state court session
5. After visiting the governmental meeting, obtain a copy of that body's published budget. Review the major sources of income

and expenses for its operation with your counselor.

6. List the services your community provides to the citizens in return for the taxes paid by you and your parents.
7. Select a city, county, or school problem or issue under consideration from the local newspaper or news broadcast and write a letter expressing your views to the mayor, administrator, or school board president. Show this letter and any response to your counselor.
8. List and describe the work of five volunteer organizations through which people in your community work together for the good of your community.
9. Tell how to report an accident or an emergency in your community.
10. List five ways you can demonstrate good citizenship in your community, religious institution, school, or Scouting unit.

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